

JULY



MISS ELBA, lovely Susan Cooper is shown as she appeared Thursday, June 24, in the annual parade at the Masonic Celebration in Florida. Governor George C. Wallace was the featured speaker.

## Dorsey Trailers Victor In Damage Suit

A Federal court jury in Dothan Thursday, June 24th, awarded \$219,000 in damages to the Dorsey Trailer Company after nine days of testimony and more than six hours of deliberation.

Dorsey Trailers had one of the Dorsey attorneys, Alvin V. Lee, of Dothan, sued the Lincoln Electric Company, of Cleveland, with the Ohio, for \$439,000, charging that welding electrodes purchased from the Ohio and McInish, of Dothan, company were misrepresented and that trailers produced with it were defective and failed to hold up.

A Dorsey attorney alleged that many of the trailers collapsed after they were delivered to the customers, causing extra expense to the firm in guarantee commitment repairs and much greater damage to their outstanding record as a manufacturer of quality trailers.

Thursday morning, U.S. District Judge Frank M. Johnson, Jr., had directed a verdict for Lincoln in a counter-claim for \$13,000 the firm charged Dorsey owed for merchandise sold in 1963.

### CEMETERY WORKING

A cemetery working will be held Saturday, July 3rd, at the Bluff Springs Baptist Church.

All interested persons, please come and bring tools with which to work.

## Lions Install Officers At June Meeting

The Elba Lions Club met Tuesday night, June 22, at Paul's Cafe for ladies' night and the installation of the officers for the coming year. Installation service was conducted by Fred Donaldson, Deputy District Governor, of Enterprise.

Newly elected officers are: James Olen Bailey, president; Wayland Sharpless, first vice president; James E. Williams, second vice president; Fulton Clark, third vice president; Bonneau Rowe, tallmaster; Robert Cooper, Lionmaster; John D. Lowery, secretary-treasurer; Ben Brock is the immediate past president. The four directors are: Flournoy Whitman, Doctor E. M. Warr, Doctor Bancroft Cooper, and Leroy Miller.

Visitors present for the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Donaldson, of Enterprise; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bullard, Mrs. Frances Hutto, and Mrs. Jo Ann King, of Elba.

## Country Club To Hold First Tournament

Evidence that the Elba Country Club golf course is rounding out in excellent shape is the upcoming golf tournament to be held on Monday, July 5th.

This is the first annual "Country Club Golf Tournament" and is only fitting that it be restricted to members only.

The tournament will start at 8:00 sharp with another foursome starting out every 10 minutes. Those golfers who do not get registered by the July 2nd deadline will be in the front row of lookers vowing that they want miss out again.

Another highlight of this day will be the opening of the club fish pond with those members not on the golf course expected to be drowning worms and bragging about the big one that got away.

## Stores To Close July 5th In Elba

The merchants of Elba and the Post Office will be closed on Monday, July 5th, in observance of Independence Day, according to Glen Vaughan, Chairman of the Merchants Committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

## MC CALL DISCHARGED FROM U. S. ARMY

Robert H. McCall, son of Mrs. Robert F. McCall, of Elba, has returned home from an eleven month tour of duty in Vietnam.

Robert arrived here on Tuesday morning, June 29, after receiving his discharge from the U.S. Army on Monday and after a three year tour of duty.

He plans to attend college in the fall.

## NEW POSTAL TRUCK for the Elba Post Office is being "tried out" by Wayne Harrison

(in truck) and Postmaster Robert Cooper. The new truck went into service today (Thursday) and replaces a contract vehicle that has been delivering Parcel Post and Special Delivery for several years.



PONY LEAGUE GIANTS with their coaches taken just before their first win of the season. They have posted a 1-2 record but in spite of this slow start they say they are the best and the final record will show it. They are from left to right: Coach Drewery, Dan Taylor, Billy Grantham, Jimmy Hart, Freddie Moore, Dean Smith, Mark Wise, Don Wambles, Larry Wambles, Marion Price, Carl Drewery, Eddie Cooper, David Stinson, James Simmons, Danny Sanders and Assistant Coach Auther D. Smith.



FIRST OFFICERS of the newly formed Coffee County Hog Producers Association are left to right seated: Rufus R. Wilson, Treasurer; Ira Allen, President; Robert English, Vice President and H. B. Thompson, Secretary; standing from left to right are directors Eugene Farris, G. W. Bradley, L. B. McCall, Wildon Bryan, S. G. Parker, M. C. Wilkes, A. W. Wilson and Ray Sanders. The directors were selected to give an equal representation around the County.

## Streets To Be Resurfaced

The State Highway Department began work Tuesday on some long overdue resurfacing to some of the streets of Elba. Included in this will be Putman Street, Court Street, about 200 feet beside City Hall, Collier Street from the Troy Road to the school house, all of Adkinson Street, Davis Street from the Methodist Church West, the area behind the school house and some of the New Town streets.

It was noted by the City Clerk, Harold Deal, that some of this work might not get completed this time due to a limited amount of paying funds allotted to Elba at this time.

## Hog Growers Organize Coffee County Hog Producers Association

Sixty-five hog producers organized themselves into the Coffee County Hog Producers Association last Thursday night at an organizational meeting held in the New Brockton School Lunchroom.

The delicious barbecue was furnished by Dick Flick, Chevrolet, whose owner, Mr. Dick Flick, urged the hog producers to go ahead with their plan to organize because he knew from experience that such an association could be beneficial for all concerned. He then expressed his thanks for the privilege of having a small part in the groundwork of this association and offered his help whenever it was needed.

The members, under the temporary leadership of Eugene Farris, next heard an excellent talk by Doctor Ray Cavender, meatmarketing specialist from Auburn, who told the producers that if they will work together "they can improve their community" and also "don't underestimate your ability to improve yourself." He said they should channel all educational information the association has to all hog producers in Coffee County, regardless of who was or was not a member of the Association.

Dr. Cavender observed that "the farmer making the best money is the one who strives to improve" and that "concern for hog enterprises includes the men on Main Street because his business is hinged on the production of the surrounding farms."

Immediately after the talk by Doctor Cavender the producers heard the reading of the minutes of the preparatory meetings and the temporary chairman entertained a motion by S.O. Parker officially forming the Coffee County Hog Producers Association, which was seconded, and passed, with no opposition.

Following the collection of the \$3 per year dues from those wishing to join, the group began to assemble a constitution and by-laws to operate by.

The constitution calls for the election of a president, vice president, secretary and treasurer as well as at least six members on the Board of Directors.

Those elected for these offices are pictured in the accompanying picture.

The newly elected president, Ira (Pete) Allen, thanked everyone for their support and said, "I will be a moderator of your programs."

Everyone who likes to see a good baseball game should make an extra effort to see these high school boys perform.

## Legion Players Don Their New Uniforms Monday

The American Legion Baseball Team showed their appreciation for shiny new uniforms Monday by defeating Union Springs 4-2 to give them an even 2-2 in the win-loss column.

Their next home game will be at 7:30 Monday night when they take on the Ozark team.

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## Homecoming Set

The annual homecoming will be held on Sunday, July 11, at the Bluff Springs Baptist Church.

Everyone is invited to attend.



PINNIE BELL TAYLOR

## Blood Bank To Visit In Elba

"You're my type" are the words of the little girl pictured on the Red Cross blood donation posters seen in windows around Elba this week.

The bloodmobile is scheduled to be in Elba on July 8th from 10:00 A.M. until 4:00 P.M. at the Methodist Church Annex.

The quota for Elba this time is 125 pints and according to Sam Sawyer, chairman of the local blood program, the quota set for the last visit was not met. Everyone is urged to offer blood so that this little girl and many more like her may be loved one who needs it next.

A better service can be rendered if you urge a friend to join you July 8th.







# SOCIETY

MRS. WILL KENDRICK, SOCIETY EDITOR



## Patricia Lynn Hayes, Charles Hornsby Clark Are Wed

Miss Patricia Lynn Hayes and Charles Hornsby Clark were united in marriage Friday evening, June 11, at 7:00 p.m., in a candlelight ceremony in the New Brockton Baptist Church.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kreschel Hayes, of New Brockton, and the groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Clark, also of New Brockton.

Performing the double ring ceremony was Reverend Richard L. Hayes, Phoenix City, Alabama, uncle of the bride. Miss Linda Folsom presented a program of organ music and accompanied Reverend M. T. Gales, soloist, who sang "The Sweetest Story Ever Told," "Whither Thou Goest, I Will Go," and "Oh, Perfect Love."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a floor-length gown of French white peau de soie, trimmed with appliques of Alencon lace and seed pearls. The sculptured bodice featured wrist-length sleeves and a portrait neckline. The full skirt extended into a

Saturday, June 12, at 5 o'clock in the afternoon at the Matthews Methodist Church in Matthews, North Carolina.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Gwynne Crook, of Elba. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Arthur Penninger, Sr., of Matthews, North Carolina. The bride's honor attendant was her sister, Mrs. Elaine Bullard, of Abbeville, Mississippi. Other attendants were Mrs. Lynda New, of Birmingham, cousin of the bride; Barbara Ann Penninger, of Matthews, North Carolina, sister of the groom; and Joan McDaniel, of Gastonia, North Carolina.

The groom's father served as bestman. Ushers were Johnny Penninger, brother of the groom; John White, and Carlton Dixon. The wedding ceremony was performed by Reverend Dixon, of Matthews Methodist Church. The reception was held in the hut at the church.

Following a wedding trip to Myrtle Beach, North Carolina, the couple is residing in New River, North Carolina.

Mrs. Penninger graduated from Elba High School in May, 1960, and at the time of her marriage, she was a student at Alabama University.

Lieutenant Penninger is presently serving in the United States Marines.



MRS. CHARLES HORNSBY CLARK

## Cotton Family Enjoys Luncheon June 20

On Sunday, June 20, the family of Mrs. Beulah Cotton enjoyed a luncheon at Mrs. Cotton's home. The occasion was in celebration of Mrs. Cotton's birthday and Father's Day.

The luncheon table held a beautifully decorated birthday cake. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. James Cotton and daughter, Gail, of Dothan; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie B. Cotton and sons, Jimmie Ray and Ronnie, of Jack; Mr. and Mrs. Guthrie Rainey and daughter, Teresa, of Enterprise.

## Personals

Reverend and Mrs. Ben Johnson and daughter, Evangeline, of Atlanta, spent last week with Reverend Johnson's mother, Mrs. Fred Johnson.

Mrs. T. D. Kendrick has returned from a two weeks' visit to friends at Sunnyside Beach.

**Whoaaaaaops!** Splash. Get help on the spot. Find CLEANERS & DYERS fast in the YELLOW PAGES. Where your fingers do the walking.



## Cogan, Penninger Vows Are Said In North Carolina

The marriage of Rhett Lieutenant Samuel Arthur Cogan to First Penninger, Jr. took place

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## THE INVITATION



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The Church is the greatest force on earth for the building of character and good citizenship. It is a cornerstone of spiritual values. Without a strong Church, neither democracy nor civilization can survive. There are four sound reasons why every person should attend services regularly and support the Church. They are: (1) For his own sake. (2) For his children's sake. (3) For the sake of his community and nation. (4) For the sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral and material support. Plan to go to church regularly and read your Bible daily.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verse
Sunday	Galatians	5	13-14
Monday	Psalm	96	1-9
Tuesday	1 Timothy	12	19
Wednesday	Psalm	140	28-31
Thursday	Colossians	3	12-18
Friday	Psalm	137	1-4
Saturday	Psalm	89	8-9

Everyone recognizes the great Lady standing in New York harbor holding her flaming torch. She welcomes the tired, the poor, the homeless, to this land of freedom. She symbolizes hope.

Back of the Lady, back of the welcome, stands the Church. The words on the statue do not mention the Church, and many of us do not realize the role it plays, but the Church inspired the principles on which our nation was built. It is the spirit of Christianity which extends the welcome to our shores and makes our nation a haven.

On the anniversary of our independence, we are proud of our freedom and opportunity and hope.

No statue with flaming torch stands at the door of the Church. But the Church is the real guardian of our heritage.

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MISS KATHLEEN ELIZABETH ANDERSON  
Engaged

## Anderson, Smith Wedding To Be August 15

Mr. and Mrs. Kasper W. Anderson, of Elba, Alabama, announce the engagement of their daughter, Kathleen Elizabeth, to Fred Smith, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Sr., also of Elba.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are the late Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Anderson, of Geneva, Alabama, and Mrs. R. L. Grable, of Montgomery, Alabama, and the late Mr. Grable.

The bridegroom-elect is the grandson of Mrs. J. S. Smith, of Elba, and the late Mr. Smith and Mr. R. C. Grantam, of Elba, and the late Mrs. Grantam.

Miss Anderson is a 1964 graduate of Elba High School and attended Huntington College, Montgomery. She plans to enter Troy State College, Troy, Alabama, this fall.

Mr. Smith graduated from Elba High School in

## WE SELL Shower Invitations

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THE ELBA CLIPPER

## Gary, Boland Wedding Vows Said

Pilgrim's Rest Baptist Church, of Embury, Mississippi, was the setting, Sunday, May 30 for the wedding of Miss Sue Gary and Charles Jay Boland.

The Reverend E. M. Carpenter officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Forming the background for the wedding party were brass candelabras holding white tapers interspersed with banks of green foliage. Brass candle trees on each side of the altar and baskets of white gladioli and greenery completed the setting.

Music was presented by Mrs. George Faulk, organist, and Ed LaMaster, Jr., of Drew, Mississippi, soloist, who sang "Because," "The Sweetest Story," and "The Wedding Prayer."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose her competitor dress she wore as "Miss Eupora" and was radiant in her lovely gown of pure white peau de soie, featuring a fitted bodice. The bodice and bell-shaped skirt were dramatized by an embroidered motif of seed pearls and sequins.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Diane Gary, as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Miss Linda Clanton and Miss Linda Watts, of Eupora. Best man for the bridegroom was his brother, Earl Boland of Elba, Alabama.

Mrs. Gary wore a sheath of white embroidered linen with matching accessories and a hat of white straw, topped with silk organza flowers.

Mrs. Boland chose a blue sheath with white accessories and a hat with matching flowers. They both wore feathered carnation corsages.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in the recreation room of the church.

For going away, the bride wore an original by Camelon of black and white cotton knit two piece suit. She chose accessories of black patent leather. Her hat was a Sharon original with a wide brim. Her corsage was the orchid from her bridal bouquet.

After a honeymoon, the couple will be at home in Drew, Mississippi, where Mr. Boland is a member of the High School faculty.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. James Aubrey Gary, of Eupora, Mississippi, and Mrs. Ade Boland and the late Mr. S. H. Boland, of Elba, Alabama.

Doctor J. F. Rowe, of Mobile, is visiting his sister, Miss Zedie Rowe.

## Virginia Lee Dorsey To Become Bride In September

Mr. and Mrs. Henry August Dorsey, of Elba, Alabama, announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Lee, to Noel Frank Pridden, Jr., of Atlanta, Georgia, son of Mr. and Mrs. Noel Frank Pridden, of Dothan, Alabama, and the reception to be held in the church social hall.

Miss Dorsey is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fountain Lee, of Elba, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry August Dorsey, of Elba, Alabama, and the late Mr. Dorsey.

Mrs. Pridden's grandparents are Mrs. Jessie James Carroll, of Ozark, Alabama, and the late Mr. Carroll and the late Mr. Carroll and the late Mr. Carroll.

Messrs. Charlie Beu Ellis, of Blountstown, Florida, Alpheus Ellis, of Tarpon Springs, Florida, Warren Ellis and William Ellis, of Ocala, Florida, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex A. Lowery, of Troy, Route #2.

The wedding will take place September 18 at the First Baptist Church, Elba, at five o'clock in the afternoon.

No local invitations will be sent, but all friends and relatives are invited to both the wedding ceremony and the reception to be held in the church social hall.

Those visiting Mr. and Mrs. Morris Davis, of Montgomery, last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. James B. Layton and family and Mrs. Fannie Lou Whitaker, of Elba.

Enroute to a Florida vacation, Mr. and Mrs. Coley Lowery, of Indianapolis, Indiana, were recent visitors in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Layton and family and Mrs. Fannie Lou Whitaker, of Elba.

Over the mantel in the living room clusters of wedding bells, trimmed with pearls and gold, were draped over and around a large mirror.

As the guests arrived, they were served punch from a table overlaid with white net over satin. The table cover was caught at the corners with festoons of green ribbon and small white flowers.

The table in the dining room, where the bride-elect, her mother, and mother of the groom-to-be, with other relatives were seated, was covered with a linen cutwork cloth and held a bouquet of white mums and glads for a centerpiece.

Guests included with the honoree were 30 relatives and friends from Elba, Geneva, and Dothan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Day were visitors in Florida last weekend.

## Miss Adkison, Mr. Brzon To Marry

Mr. and Mrs. Braxton Adkison, of Enterprise, Alabama, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Joan, to Kenneth J. Brzon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brzon, of Belleville, Kansas.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Enterprise High School and is presently serving a tour of Army duty stationed at Fort Rucker, Alabama.

The wedding will be an event of August 7 at 6:00 P.M. in the Goodman Baptist Church. Reception will follow in the Fellowship Hall of the church.

All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Berry and little daughter, Candice, of Elba, and Mrs. Hollis E. Carr, of Elba Route #1, visited Mr. and Mrs. Coley Lowery in Indianapolis, Indiana, over Memorial Day Weekend, where Mr. and Mrs. Lowery attended the 500 mile race on Monday, May 31st.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parker left Friday afternoon for an extended trip through Mississippi, Louisiana, Texas, Arkansas, and Tennessee.

Miss Foyce Ann Bowdoin has returned to her home after spending three weeks as an instructor at Messick, Donny and Terry, Wise.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nassau in the Bahama Islands.

MISS JOAN ADKISON  
Engaged

Sunnyside Twirling Camp, of Enterprise, spent last Sunnyside Beach, Florida. Wednesday with Mrs. Messick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wise.

Reverend and Mrs. Charles Raburn and children, Buddy, Johnny, Cindy, and Kim, of Tampa, Folsom have returned from Florida, visited last week an extended tour of South Florida, with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Florida. They were joined in Miami by Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hammond, of Dothan, Alabama, and made a cruise to the Bahama Islands.

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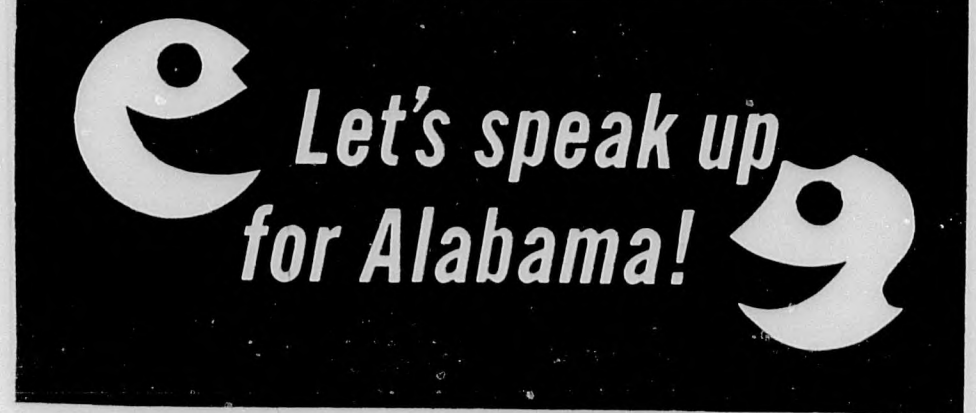
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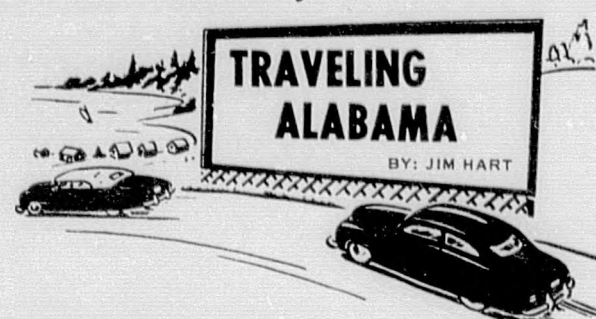
On Saturday morning, June 19, Miss Freddie Johnson, bride-elect, was honored with a kitchen shower given by Mrs. L.P. Johnson, of Elba, Alabama, and Mrs. Roy Johnson, of Elba, Alabama, who presented the honor.

The hostesses served a party plate to approximately 30 guests.

Mrs. Olan Johnson, Mrs. Vonnie Shealey, and Mrs. Max Hardzog entertained with lunch on Tuesday, June 22, at the home of Mrs. Johnson in Geneva, Alabama, honoring Miss Freddie Johnson.

The living room, dining





BATTLESHIP ALABAMA

One of four remaining battleships rears proudly in the entrance to Mobile Bay. She is 680 feet long and weighs 35,000 tons. She wears nine battle stars which were won against Nazis as well as Japanese forces. The USS Alabama has been preserved as a permanent shrine to Alabamians who served in World War II and Korea.

When the plans for the USS Alabama were being drawn up this country was not at war, but before she could be completed we were plunged headlong into one of the costliest conflicts in history...WW II. On February 16, 1942, while McArthur's men were still fighting on Bataan the battleship USS Alabama was launched at Norfolk, Va.

By early 1943 the USS Alabama had completed her shakedown and training cruises and was ready for combat. Her nine 16-inch and twenty 5-inch guns saw action at Tarawa first, La-

catapult on the ship's stern. Each day of the week you can visit the USS Alabama and spend as much time as you like strolling the catwalks of the giant gun turrets, touring the captain's quarters or sighting through the ship's periscopes that years ago searched enemy waters looking for targets. Admission is fifty cents for adults and twenty-five cents for children under twelve. This money goes to the battleship commission to help pay for the ship's upkeep. Gates open at 8:00 AM and close at sunset. The next time you're near Mobile stop by and visit the battleship USS Alabama. More than 200,000 people just like you have already done so. The entrance is located just south of the Mobile causeway off U.S. Highway 90 east of the city.

### "Kingfisher" To Be Dedicated On Battleship

The battleship USS Alabama, enshrined in Mobile Bay as a memorial to Alabamians who served in World War II, will observe special ceremonies Saturday, the dedication of a World War II OS2U "Kingfisher" seaplane, the only one on public display in the United States.

Captain Raphael Semmes, Jr., U.S.N., great-grandson of the commander of the famous Confederate raider CSS Alabama and a native of Huntsville, will dedicate the rare aircraft.

The 10 a.m. dedication ceremonies of the seaplane comes a week past the anniversary of the sinking of the CSS Alabama by the USS Kearsarge in the English Channel during the Civil War.

The OS2U Kingfisher was located for the battleship on an airstrip on Santa Margarita Island near Mazatlan, Mexico, and was presented to the USS Alabama by the Mexican Navy.

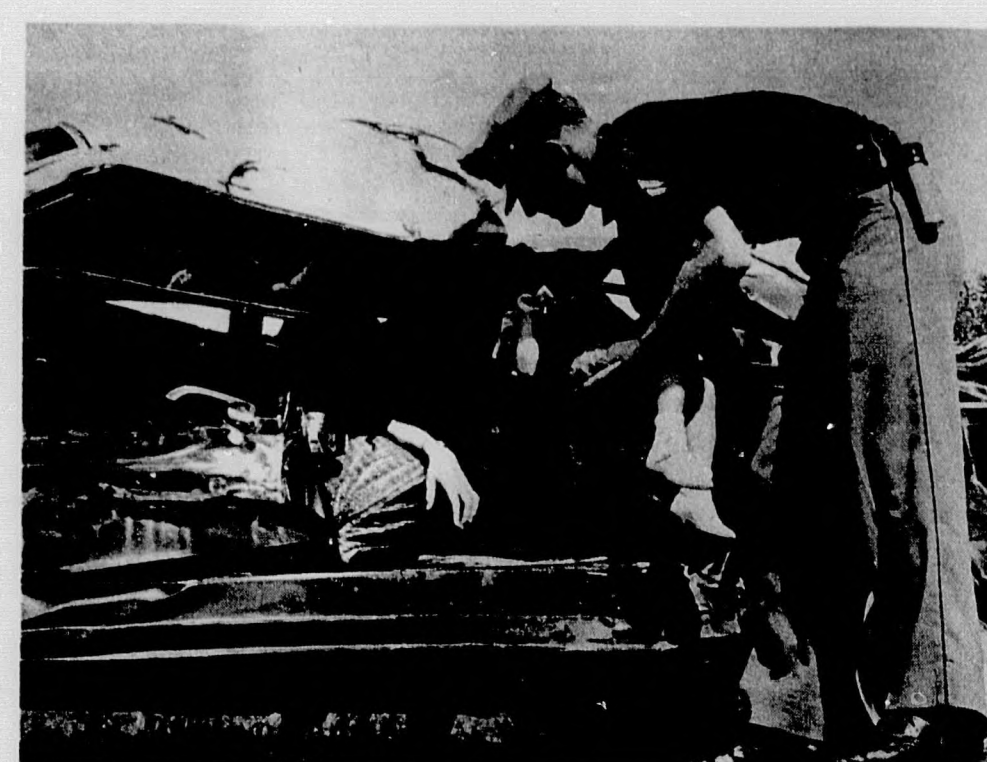
It was flown to Brookley Air Force Base in Mobile where air-craft mechanics volunteered their off-duty hours to rehabilitate the sea-plane.

Missing parts were contributed from many sources.

On Armed Forces Day, 1965, an Army "Sky-crane", a giant helicopter capable of lifting a nine-ton tank, picked up the OS2U and transported it five miles up Mobile Bay to the USS Alabama. It will remain on the battleship on permanent display.

A product of air power of a by-gone era, the only other Kingfisher is in the Smithsonian Institute in a disassembled state.

OS2U Kingfisher did a yeoman's job in World War II. Soon surpassed by heavier powered aircraft, they flew from cruisers and battleships rescuing pilots down at sea. One picked up Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker from a life raft in the Pacific.



DRIVE ESPECIALLY CAREFUL THIS WEEKEND - EVERYONE IS NOT AN EXPERT DRIVER LIKE YOU! Don't let this space be used next week by a picture of your accident.

### Helen Keller Honored By U.S. Senate On 85th Birthday

Miss Helen Keller, whose triumph over blindness and deafness and whose lifetime of work have made her a symbol of faith and courage and a challenging example for all mankind, was honored by the United States Senate this week in the passing of a resolution commemorating her eighty-fifth birthday.

The resolution was introduced in the Senate by Senator Lister Hill, of Alabama.

### Cash Awards Given Civil Service Workers

Nine Civil Service workers at the Army Aviation Center have received cash awards for performance of duty or submitting money-saving suggestions.

Those earning performance awards are Clifford Adams, Andalusia, \$150; Arthur J. Lane, Dothan, \$100; Mrs. Catherine V. Brunson, \$100; Howell C. Flowers, \$100; Richard G. Harding, \$200; Enterprise; W. C. Alford, Kinston, \$100; and Mrs. Wendie M. Vornow, New Brockton, \$200.

The amount of the award is based on the Civil Service grade of the worker. In addition, Dempsey W. McDougall, Geneva, was awarded an outstanding performance rating.

An additional award of \$35 was presented Mrs. Erlene Richards, Samson, for wider application of her suggestion to use colored markers on data-processing cards to identify the punch-card operator. This system has now been adopted at Fort Gordon, Georgia.

### Mrs. Daniels Hostess To Curtis HDC

The Curtis Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Dot Daniels on Tuesday afternoon, June 22nd. Mrs. Winston Mixon, President, presided over a business session and then gave a most interesting talk on "Understanding for Youths and Adults."

The members enjoyed a delicious refreshment plate.

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### Billy Graham Concludes Crusade For Christ In Montgomery

Evangelist Billy Graham said at the close of his crusade for Christ in Montgomery that Alabama is making rapid progress in solving its racial problems, and may set the pace for the rest of the nation.

The job will be easier, he added, "if the Ku Klux Klan will quiet down, if the extremists in the civil rights organizations will give Alabama time to digest the new civil rights laws, if the politicians will not try to exploit the situation."

If this can be achieved, Graham said, and "if the spirit of Christian love continues to prevail, then I foresee the day when all America will point to Alabama with pride on the racial question."

The 46 year old North Carolina born evangelist concluded an eight-day crusade here on Sunday, June 20, before a crowd of 18,000 in Cranton Bowl.

He said his experience in the state capital has been "the most rewarding and thrilling of my ministry."

A total of nearly 100,000 attended the eight days, many of them from communities throughout the state. Inquirers—a term Graham uses to describe those who come forward in response to his invitation to receive Christ—totaled 4,414.

Graham conferred during the week with leaders of both races, including Governor George C. Wallace. He was invited to address the legislature, but declined because of a crowded schedule.

"By and large," the evangelist continued, "the Negroes and whites in Alabama are close personal friends...I am convinced that the moral and spiritual resources are now available in Alabama for a rapid growth in racial understanding."

Did you know? Americans eat about 37 million pounds of ground beef every week?

There are a few people who live more than 100 years and many more could achieve this if they followed a few rules for healthier living. For, advancing age exposes everyone to certain dangers, many of which can be comfortably lived with.

SENIOR CITIZENS NEED MEDICAL HELP. There are more people than ever before who are over 65. Many of them have heart trouble, bronchitis, colds and flu or accidents. Men may develop a prostate ailment. Frequent urines to empty the bladder is a warning to both sexes. Gradual breaking down of tissues can cause hardening of the arteries and liver.

CONSULT A PHYSICIAN QUICKLY. At the first sign of aging troubles a physician should be asked for help. We now have many new, important drugs which can give some quick relief to most aches and pains. Sustaining medicines help stop diseases from worsening.

DENTAL PROBLEMS CAN CAUSE TROUBLE. Sensitive or poorly fitting dentures prevent proper food mastication, leading to digestive disturbances and constipation. Senior citizens should visit their Dentists regularly for attention.

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